

WHEREAS, Charles and Mary Burke began the celebration of life together as husband and wife in Nineteen Bundred and Forty-Eight; and,

WHEREAS, Their marriage has spanned almost half a century of service and devotion to their family, friends and neighbors; and,

WHEREAS; Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, Charles and Mary Burke have helped make South Dakota a great place to live and work; and,

WHIZEPAS, On July 24 in Pierre, there will be an occasion of great joy and celebration as friends and loved ones honor Charles and Mary; and,

WHERE'S, It is altogether fitting and proper that the Governor of South Dakota recognize and commemorate the memorable milestones in the lives of the State's outstanding citizens:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 24, 1988, as

CHARLES AND MARY BURKE DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the honored couple's family and friends in wishing them continued health and happiness in a state that stands prouder today because of their contributions and commitment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fourteenth Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight

GEORGE S. MICKET SON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

MICE NETTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE